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Three Forms of Eye Trouble

any of which may have existed from birth. Nature does not always make perfect eyes. We have near-sightedness, far-sightedness and astigmatism, which is a form of irregular sight. All of these defects require attention, the sooner the better. If a child has any of these ocular defects and is expected to do close work of any kind he must have his eyes fully examined and wear such glasses as will correct the refraction of his eyes. As well expect a child born with one leg shorter than the other to walk without limping as to ask one born with imperfect vision to do accurate eye work without suffering the consequences.

I am equipped with every modern appliance to use in helping correct any ocular defect. Come in any time and let me examine your eyes, it will cost you nothing and my prices on optical goods are extremely cheap. Do not entrust the keeping of sight to strangers or people unknown to you, but one who has made this science a study.

W. A. VAWTER, Optometrist with

West Side Square *The Kelley Vawter Jewelry Co.* Marshall, Mo.

DEATHS.

BLUM—The little one year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blum died Thursday September 2d, at their home west of New, Frankfort. This precious little daughter had been sick for several weeks. The parents and friends administered all help possible, but God saw fit to remove this bud and transplant it to the Heavenly garden.

Funeral services were held Friday conducted by Father Fortune of Slater. We extend sympathy to the bereaved parents in the loss of their little jewel.

MRS. WM. N. FINNELL died Wednesday noon, Sept. 8th at her home on South Odell, aged 74 years. She and her husband have been sick a long time. Mr. Finnell is now somewhat improved. Mrs. Finnell's funeral will occur at the residence and will be conducted by Rev. J. E. Courtney, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, of which she was a faithful member.

MIRIAM BROWN—"Miriam is with the angels," was the news flashed over the wire last Tuesday, August 31st from the beautiful home of Dr. F. M. Wilson and wife at Canyon City, Texas. The sad tidings cast a gloom over many hundreds of hearts in Grand Pass and Malta Bend and Marshall, for all knew Miriam only to love her.

She was the beloved and only child of her devoted parents. None but those who have been so bereft can fathom the depth of their sorrow. But with their usual Christian fortitude God will enable them to have grace to sustain them in this the saddest hour of their lives.

Miriam's baby-hood days began in Grand Pass 15 years ago. Her life was a joy in her home and her baby smile won the hearts of all who knew her. Part of her childhood days were spent in Marshall and Malta Bend and her happy girlhood days began in Canyon City, Texas, only to be continued in her heavenly home.

Her life was one of gleaming sunshine and her memory will be like the fragrance of a beautiful flower. God chooses the most radiant jewels for his own. Blessed are the parents who contribute to His crown.

All that wealth and tender care could do was lavished upon her, yet her parents early taught her of God and her pathway was illuminated with His love and now her sweet spirit is in unison with theirs in their home and as her loved ones go down the vista of gems, each year will bring them nearer to sweet Miriam, and tho

Chautauqua a Big Success.

The Large Tent Filled at Nearly Every Meeting—Will Return in 1910.

The Republican always aims to state its news and facts in a plain, uncolored way and we expect to do so in giving the Chautauqua its write-up. We are heartily in favor of the Chautauqua and are pleased to announce its return and hope that whatever objections were found this year will be overcome next year.

The Chautauqua opened promptly at 2:30 Monday with music by Burton Thatcher, followed by a lecture entitled, "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." There was a large attendance and both numbers were good but the noise from passing trains and other disturbances seriously interfered with this and nearly every other program rendered. The dissatisfaction grew from day to day till the management will be compelled no doubt to find a new location for next year.

In the evening Adrain M. Newens lectured from the subject, "A Message from Mars," in a humorous vein. Mr. Newens' lecture was well received.

Dr. George delivered lectures every morning at 10:30 commencing Tuesday on Bible history. His lectures were largely attended and of great profit to those present.

Tuesday at 2:30 and again at 7:30 Mrs. Sarah Wathena Brown and the Chicago Boys Choir rendered some very enjoyable musical selections. Her boys are a quartette of four bright boys who are well trained in their parts as singers and actors and gave some excellent character sketches in their selections.

At three Tuesday Lou J. Beauchamp spoke on "The Sunny Side of Life." His lecture was a fine one and many expressed their opinion that it was the best on the list of attractions. He is not strong physically and seemed about exhausted when through.

In the evening Charles A. Payne gave his lecture on "Rome" illustrated by pictures from Europe. The lecture was interesting and instructive but didn't seem to arouse any special interest in the large gathering.

The Concert Trio Wednesday was good. The afternoon lecture by Thos. E. Green, "The Truth About Japan" was not very well received. Dr. Green has heretofore always aroused the greatest enthusiasm and whether it was the subject or a slight disappointment we are unable to say. His address was a direct contradiction to that made a year ago by Richard Hobson, the hero of Santiago harbor, and it is probable that most of his listeners were anxious to retain Col. Hobson as their hero and accept his view.

Hobson urged the necessity of a great navy to be prepared to fight the Japanese—Dr. Green treated them as friends. In the evening Mr. Albert Armstrong presented an illustrated lecture on the story of "Lorna Doone." The pictures and talk were without flaw.

Thursday the Commonwealth Quartette furnished splendid music, making a good impression. In the afternoon Allan A. Tanner lectured on "The Man in Overalls." It was a timely subject well presented and brought out strongly the dignity of labor. Our working people deserve the encouragement of such a talk and no doubt many received their full value for a season's ticket from this one talk alone.

At night Congressman Chas. B. Landis spoke on "Our Merchant Marine," pointing out the fact that this country has no merchant-marine and the necessity of the government aiding in the maintenance of one. He spent twelve years in congress, going down to defeat last fall because he stood pat on the advice to the country of the late Mark Hanna to let well enough alone in tariff matters. Mr. Landis lives on a farm and edits a county newspaper, as he did when first elected to congress.

Mr. Landis stated that he believed most congressmen to be honest, when he was interrupted by one of our citizens asking about the tariff. Mr. Landis told him all about it! At least we doubt if he wants to know any more. The music Friday was furnished by the Royal English Bell Ringers.

They are the best in their line and received full credit, but the novelty has about worn off. Their singing was only ordinary. One of the incidents of their entertainment was the playing of "Onward Christian Soldiers," written by one of their townsmen in England.

Friday afternoon the star attraction of the Chautauqua appeared—Senator Robert M. LaFollette. He spoke on "Representative Government." He started out by "sailing into" Ex-Gov. Landis, of Indiana, who spoke the day before, saying that he was not surprised that Mr. Landis was defeated for Congress when he could not see anything wrong with any of the congressmen. He also said Landis is a stand-patter and he isn't. They met in Kansas City Thursday morning and Mr. Landis undertook to show him the way down here, resulting in both taking the wrong train and Mr. LaFollette said he had to hire an automobile at an expense of \$10 to reach Odessa in time and he'd never again take the advice of a "stand patter."

Mr. LaFollette's address was an able and timely one. He urged our citizens to take an active interest in aiding clean politics and advised the laying aside of partisanship when right and honesty is at stake. He started to speak soon after three and was still talking when the majority left at six, but he was gone when they returned at 7:30! His address was worth the time though and but for the fact that he was completely exhausted it would have been intensely interesting.

The Royal Hungarian Orchestra was somewhat of a disappointment. Manager Lipski had a new crowd and while they were splendid musicians, the capers of one of the young ladies made their evening's entertainment somewhat of a farce. The manager seemed to regret the girl's action but was probably unable to help himself.

Judge Alden's address, "The Needs of the Hour" Saturday afternoon was one of the finest on the program.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. LaSalle Corbell Pickett gave a graphic description of the "Battle of Gettysburg." In the evening Dr. Monroe Key of Denver, delivered a splendid lecture—sermon on "Doing the Impossible." He was followed by an illustrated lecture on Panama.

The music Sunday was furnished by the Cole-Steel Concert Co. The attendance during the week was all that could have been desired and places Marshall at the head of Chautauqua towns. The order was generally good.

Our "local orators" must have taken the Republican's advice for they certainly did not "infect" themselves on the audience at any time.

Last years manager, Mr. Rheinfrank, was missed by many of our citizens but we had a good successor in Mr. Morrison of Fulton.

There was quite an effort necessary this year to secure the required pledges to have the Chautauqua return next year, but we are pleased to say that it is an assured fact that they will do so.

One of the points to be watched is that our program next year shall excel previous years. In this connection it might be well to suggest to the management that some local talent could be worked into a chorus or musical selections added by home talent for one of the numbers. We have some good talent and it would add local interest.

In regard to the many criticisms heard, we believe the Chautauqua a fine thing. It furnished a week of healthy, instructive entertainment at a very small cost. It inspires our people to renewed efforts in their everyday life, puts them in touch with the great men of the day, elevates the community's standard intellectually and brings to our city large numbers from our neighboring towns. Don't knock at your own interests.

City Council

Met Monday Sept. 6th, with all present. Ordered that water trough be installed at end of Eastwood St. Ordered that culvert be put in on East Gordon.

James Wingfield refused license to run a pool hall. Petition for water main on West Boyd referred to water committee. Ordered to pay John H. Mitchell 15c per hour for 133 hours, \$19.95.

Adjourned to meet Thursday, Sept. 9th.

Hisle-Yowell

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Yowell, Mr. James E. Hisle and Miss Eldesta Yowell were joined in holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Pruette of Waverly, September 2, 1909.

The bride was dressed in white and carried a beautiful bunch of brides roses and the groom was dressed in conventional black.

After the song entitled "I love you for yourself alone" sung by Miss Janie Thomas, a cousin of the bride, the bridal party entered the front parlor to the strains of Lohengrin wedding march played by Miss Bessie Parks.

At the close of the ceremony refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the guests in the dining room. After which the bride and groom left on the Mo. Pac. at 7:19 from Waverly for Kansas City their future home. The brides traveling gown was a steel grey coat suit, hat and gloves to match.

The guests from a distance were, Misses Janie Thomas, Lora Caldwell, Bessie Morton and Bessie Parks of Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Clements of Marshall; Chas. Demoss and sister Miss Mollie of Grand Pass; John Yowell, of Peabody, Kansas; Mrs. Pruette of Waverly, Leonard Argood of Grand Pass. She has many friends who wish her many days of happiness.

K. F.

Swift-Clarkson

Sam Swift, of Mesa, Arizona, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swift of Blackburn, and Miss Elizabeth Clarkson, daughter of Adam Clarkson of this city were united in marriage by Rev. J. E. Abbott Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of Will Irvine on West Arrow. About seventy-five guests were present. The ring ceremony was used and Little Pearl Crowder acted as ring bearer.

The groom is a splendid young man and is succeeding well in his western home. The bride is one of Marshall's popular young ladies and possesses the characteristics of a true help-met. They received a great many useful as well as valuable presents. After receiving the well wishes and congratulations of the large number present the happy young couple departed for their future home in Mesa on the 4:30 C. & A. passenger.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served after the ceremony. The decorations were elegant, consisting of cut flowers and potted plants.

Among the out of town guests were Miss Lillie and Miss Eliza Swift, James, Ed and Bert Swift, Blackburn; Misses Charlotte and Bessie Swift, St. Louis; Miss Anna Brown, Slater; Mr. and Mrs. W. Davis, Waverly; Mr. Lewis, Kansas City. We wish them a joyous and prosperous married life.

Slaughter House Burned.

The Daily Meat Market slaughter house situated just north of Ridge Park cemetery burned on Wednesday night of last week, Sept. 1st. There was no insurance Mr. Smith says he can not tell how it originated. H. H. Hyland had that day entered the firm and no doubt feels he received a "warm" welcome.

Church News

Mt. Horeb Church located three miles west of Slater will hold a Bi-Centennial service the 3rd Sunday in September. A cordial invitation is extended to every one who can be present. We are exceedingly anxious that all elderly people who have in any way been connected with Mt. Horeb, either as members or friends be present and assist in the service. Dr. W. H. Black of Marshall will be present and preach. The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be celebrated. Dinner on the ground. Every body come with well filled baskets and let us have a good old fashioned time together. Z. T. Orr, Pastor.

Rev. Clinton Senneff will preach Sunday morning and evening at the First M. E. Church. Rev. Garrett will preach at Norton that day.

Rev. J. E. Courtney will preach for the Cumberland Presbyterians both morning and evening. Sunday school at 9:30 and Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p. m.

Rev. J. D. Prigmore, who was called to the pastorate of the Odell Avenue Presbyterian church will assume his duties next Sunday by preaching both morning and evening. He and his family will board with his wife's mother Mrs. E. S. Davis, Mr. Prigmore is a M. V. C. graduate.

The M. E. Church, South, is holding its conference in Kansas City this week.

Rev. Egan Herndon of Centerville who has been preaching at Concord Christian church near Arrow Rock closed a successful meeting there Sunday night with 35 additions to the church. This is one of the strongest churches in the county.

Rev. Van Shyck of Whatcheers, Iowa, is assisting Elmer Burgess in a protracted meeting at Salem. The meeting will continue all this week. Much interest is manifested and several additions are reported.

The A. M. E. Church will give a picnic in Clay's Grove tomorrow.

Rev. Z. T. Orr, assisted by Evangelist P. M. Fitzgerald of Texas as closed a very successful meeting at Mt. Horeb church last week. There were 23 conversions, a number of them prominent citizens of the Norton vicinity.

Took Best Premiums

Sam Evans is back from a several weeks' visit to Bunceston and brought back a car of good mules. While there he took in the Bunceston fair and said his son, Frank and wife were there during the fair and Mrs. Evans captured some of the best prizes she went after. She secured first premium of \$5.00 for best lady rider, first premium of \$5.00 for swellest ladies turnout and first premium of \$3.50 for best ladies' driver. Mrs. Evans usually returns with a lot of blue ribbons when she enters a contest.

Wm. Mitchell Wednesday purchased J. T. Conway's big brick livery barn on West Arrow for \$5,500, in to which the Merchants Delivery Co. moved yesterday. Mr. Downs proprietor of the delivery system is a son-in-law of Mr. Mitchell.

Big Auction Sale of Cattle!

At Marshall, Mo.,
C. & A. Stock Yards,
Saturday, September 11th, '09,
Commencing at 1:30 P. M.

450 CATTLE,

Consisting of calves, yearling and 2-year-old steers weighing from 800 to 1100 lbs. Also some yearling and two-year-old heifers.

COME TO THIS SALE! These are good grade Kansas cattle and shipped here to sell.

W. C. HUGHES.

COL. JOHN LOGSDON, Auctioneer.

Dr. J. L. Russell

DENTIST.

Farmers' Savings Bank Building

MARSHALL, MO.

Residence Phone 492.

LOCAL MARKET.

Corrected Sept. 9th by Swift & Co.
Butter 18c
Eggs 14c
Hens 11c
Rabbits 4c
Spring Chickens 12c
Turkeys 10c
Ducks 7c
Geese 4c
Corrected by Rea & Page.
Wheat \$1.00
Corn80